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Pres.

**W. T. TANDY,**  
Cashier.

**JAS. A. YOUNG, Jr.**  
Asst. Cashier.

## THE CITY BANK.

CAPITAL - - - - - \$60,000.  
Surplus and Undivided Profits, - \$70,000.

The surplus of this bank, every dollar of which has been earned, is larger than that of all other Banks in Christian county combined, and in proportion to capital, ranks among the very first in whole State of Kentucky.

## HOPKINSVILLE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE.

(FORMERLY NELSON & DABNEY.)

HOPKINSVILLE, - KENTUCKY.

**THE ABERNATHY CO., Proprietors.**

Sell Tobacco Loose or Prized. Prompt Personal Attention to all Business. Liberal Advances on Prized Tobacco in Store.

## J. T. RABBETH DIES TUESDAY IN LOUISVILLE.

Died Shortly After Operation Had Been Performed.

HE ONCE LIVED HERE.

Was at One Time Engaged in Business With the Late John Orr.

"The web of life is curiously wrought and the visits of death are strangely mingled," has been written.

Just four days after the sudden death of Mr. John Orr in Louisville, his old friend and partner, Mr. John T. Rabbeth, suddenly passed into the great beyond. The news of Mr. Rabbeth's death came to this city by telephone late Wednesday afternoon from Clarksville, where he had made many friends while in the milling business there. The following, from the Courier-Journal of Thursday, gives the particulars of his death:

"John T. Rabbeth, a well-known business man, died suddenly of pneumonia at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Norton Infirmary, as the result of pneumonia following an operation performed Tuesday afternoon for hernia. Mr. Rabbeth was in his office in the grist mill of the Rabbeth-Rutherford Milling Co., Floyd and Bloom streets, when he was stricken shortly after three o'clock Tuesday afternoon. An ambulance was hurriedly called and he was taken to Norton Infirmary. Physicians were summoned at once and it was decided that no relief could be afforded unless an operation was performed. The operation was successfully performed, but during the night pneumonia set in and he began to sink rapidly until death came yesterday afternoon."

Mr. Rabbeth came to Hopkinsville during the latter part of the war, in the capacity of military telegraph operator. Being transferred to another point, after remaining here more than a year, the war closed before he returned. He had become attached to Hopkinsville and made many warm friends while here in the employ of the government. He and his old friend, William Cowan, both Louisville young men, formed a partnership in buying wheat. Mr. Rabbeth was at one time a partner in the milling business with the late John Orr and Mr. F. J. Brownell. Disposing of his interest in the business here, he went to Trenton and engaged in the same business there with Mr. Bacon. Seeing a brighter opening at Clarksville, he located there and continued in the milling business for several years, going to Louisville about four years ago. He formed a company in Louisville, owning a controlling share of the stock, and established a large milling plant, which made considerable money, but Mr. Rabbeth, owing to continued feeble health, sold out his interest, in order to get a respite from the cares of his occupation. But being a very industrious man, and having to some extent regained his health, he again embarked in the milling business on a large scale.

Mr. Rabbeth was 60 years of age. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Ella McReynolds, of this city. His sister, Mrs. Charlotte Oliver, lives in Louisville and with whom he was boarding at the time of his death. At his request, made during the latter years of his life, he was buried in Cave Hill Cemetery, Louisville, Thursday morning.

### Very Ill.

Mr. Joseph W. Campbell's condition was reported yesterday morning to be extremely critical and his friends have almost despaired of his recovery.

## GRAND JURY ADJOURNS.

Thirty-four More Indictments Returned Thursday Afternoon.

EQUITY MATTERS NEXT.

Only One More Week Of The Present Term Of Court.

The grand jury completed its work Thursday and adjourned sine die. A batch of thirty-four bills was returned. Nearly all the indictments charge minor offenses. The T. C. railroad was indicted for maintaining a nuisance. The alleged nuisance is the bridge over the company's track at the crossing on the Canton pike, near the city.

The petit jurors will be discharged today and next week, the last week of court, will be devoted to equity matters.

Under peremptory instructions from the court, the jury in the case D. M. Booker against the City of Hopkinsville, found for the city. Mr. Booker, one day last winter while walking on the icy streets, fell and broke an arm. He sued for \$5,000, alleging that the accident was due to negligence on the part of the city in not having the ice removed from the pavement.

The damage suit of George Mc-

## THE COW LAW IS REPEALED.

Dr. Jackson Changes Front and Moves to Repeal.

SUIT TO BE DISMISSED.

Called Meeting of the Council Held Thursday Night To Do It.

The City Council met in called session Thursday night with Councilman Davis in the chair, in the absence of Mayor Henry. The chief matter of interest considered was the repeal of the stock law enacted June 2. The ordinance was passed by a vote of 4 to 3, Dr. J. B. Jackson voting in the affirmative. Dr. Jackson moved the repeal of the ordinance, giving as a reason that many voters of his ward had signed a call upon another man to run for councilman, which he attributed to his former attitude on the stock law. There was but little discussion and the new law was repealed and the old one re-enacted. It prohibits all stock except milk cows in the day time from running at large in the city.

Attorney John Feland was present and stated that the litigation growing out of the injunction suit would likely not be pressed, now that the law had been repealed.

## \$8,250 GIVEN TO G. G. REEDER

He Lost One Leg and Almost The Other Last October.

A COMPROMISE CASE.

The Claim Was for \$25,000 When Suit Was Filed.

At Earlington last October, G. G. Reeder, who lives a short distance north of the city, was horribly mangled by being run over by a car of the L. & N. Railroad. Both of his legs were broken. He filed suit in the Circuit Court at the February term, but the case was continued to the present term. In his petition Mr. Reeder states that while in discharge of his duty in repairing a car under the orders of his superiors that the defendant negligently permitted one of its cars to run over his body; that the defendant caused him to assume an unsafe and dangerous position; that he was working in obedience to the orders of the agents and servants of the said railroad company; that by the carelessness of his superiors he was grievously wounded, and by reason of such injuries one of his legs had to be amputated in order to save his life, and that his other leg was broken and mangled and permanently injured so as to deprive him of the use thereof. He asked for a judgment against the defendant, the L. & N. R.R. Co., for the sum of \$25,000 and for costs of the action.

Negotiations for a settlement out of court had been going on for some time by the attorneys of both sides of the case, and a settlement was finally reached late Wednesday afternoon. The L. & N., agreed to pay Mr. Reeder the sum of \$8,250 for his injuries which was accepted.

J. T. Hanbery and Wood & Son of this city and Gordon & Gordon & Co., of Madisonville were employed by Mr. Reeder. Judge Joe McCarroll and Judge C. H. Bush were the attorneys for the L. & N.

**CAPT. ED WILSON,**

Well Known L. & N. Conductor, Dies of Dropsy.

News has been received here of the death of Capt. Ed. Wilson, at his home in Evansville. Capt. Wilson was conductor on the Elkton & Guthrie accommodation for several years and was well known in this city. About two years ago he was stricken with paralysis and was forced to give up his run. He partially recovered and was given a position by the L. & N. as flagman in Evansville. Some time ago he was attacked with dropsy and this caused his death. Capt. Wilson was about forty years old and is survived by a widow. He was a cousin of Messrs. Geo. and Frank Wilson, of Gracey. The remains were interred at Elkton.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

At Cerulean Springs to Be Dedicated Tomorrow.

The new Baptist church at Cerulean will be dedicated tomorrow. The Rev. G. W. Perryman, of Knoxville, Tenn., formerly pastor of Little River Baptist church, will preach the dedicatory sermon. Services will be held both morning and afternoon and dinner will be served on the ground. A large number from this county will be present.

Mr. Max Meyer and son, William, have returned from New York, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meyer.

Kinney, col., against the city and city workhouse keeper, E. C. Outlaw, was tried yesterday and resulted in a verdict for defendant. McKinney was struck on the head by Mr. Outlaw while being worked on the streets several months ago and brought suit for \$5,000.

### MISSIONS

Was the Key-note of the Baptist Association.

Rev. M. E. Staley, pastor of the Baptist church at Morganfield, and Rev. C. H. Gresby, of Morganfield, stopped over here a short time yesterday on their way home from the Baptist Association at Russellville.

They report a highly interesting meeting and great enthusiasm on the part of the delegates. About 300 were in attendance and home and foreign mission work was the keynote of the association.

Mr. Phil Bacon and Mrs. Smith, of Trenton, were in the city yesterday.

### WHITE-SOUTHERN.

Cerulean Physician Goes to Texas for a Bride.

Dr. J. G. White, of Cerulean, and Miss Josie Southern, of Claredon, Texas, were married in the Lone Star state a few days ago. His bride is a sister of Mrs. Alex Wallace, of Cerulean, and it was while on a visit to her sister last summer that she and Dr. White met. Dr. and Mrs. White are now visiting the groom's parents in Alabama and will arrive in Cerulean in about ten days.

### NEARLY 600 HHDS.

Of the Weed Disposed of Here This Week.

The Inspectors' report of the Hopkinsville tobacco market follows: Receipts for week, 470 hhds; receipts for year, 6280 hhds; sales for the week, 563 hhds; sales for year, 2584 hhds.